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REMEDIES; NEW REMEDIES

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Nervousness, the consequence of self-abuse. This vice, or depraved sexual indulgence, is prevalent with youths of both sexes to an almost unlimited extent, producing certainly, the following train of evils: Nervousness combatted by scientific and sure remedies, this hollow cough, this dark spots under the eyes, pain in the head, ringing in the ears, noise like the falling of leaves and rustling of chariots, unsteadiness, weakness of the limbs, confused vision, loss of memory, diffidence in society, a dislike to fellowship, now acquaintances, bashfulness, shame to show oneself in public society, loss of memory, headache and various eruptions about the face, dull, fatigued breath, cough, consumption, night sweats and frequent insanity. If relief is desired, should apply immediately, either in person or letter, and have a cure effected by his new and improved mode of treating this disease, which never fails in a quick and perfect cure. Dr. G. will give One Hundred Dollars to any person who will prove satisfactorily that he has ever failed in the cure of this complaint by either of the above modes of treatment.

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OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE STATE.

THURSDAY MORNING, AUGUST 9, 1866.

Selling or Giving Liquor to Minors.

In Wisconsin it is now a violation of the law for minors to enter a billiard saloon or place where liquor is sold.—*Ex.*

We call the attention of our Legislators to the above, and would suggest some such provision on our own Statute Books. It is obvious that nothing can be learned in such places as will materially benefit our youth, and, on the contrary, much will be learned having a tendency to lead them into a life of depravity and wickedness. In our town, boys may be seen in the saloons, playing cards for the whisky, with the gravity of old "sports," and the difficult feat of "turning jack from the bottom" seems to be the highth of their juvenile ambition. If there was a penalty against their entering such places, it might better their condition, and could not "worse" it much.

We clip the above from the Jacksonville *Sentinel*. We quite agree that "such places" are not fit resorts for our youth, and that what they may learn there will have "a tendency to lead them into a life of depravity and wickedness."

But we also venture to object to any more legislation on the subject until we see some disposition manifested to enforce that already on the statute book. It is too much the fashion now-a-days, whenever any good soul sees any practice or conduct subversive of good morals, to assume that there is no law on the subject, and insist that one shall be made forthwith.

On page 774 of the laws of Oregon, we find the following section, which, if fairly enforced, would prevent "boys" from "playing cards for whisky" in or out of a saloon:

SEC. 14. That if any person shall sell, give, or cause to be sold or given, any intoxicating liquor to any minor under eighteen years of age in this State, without first obtaining consent of one of such minor's parents or guardians in writing, except for medical or mechanical purposes, such person shall be deemed guilty of misdemeanor; and upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine of not less than one hundred dollars, or be imprisoned in the county jail not less than six months, or both, at the direction of the court. A justice's court has jurisdiction of the crime herein named.

If the editor of the *Sentinel*, will call attention to this law, passed October 21, 1864, and endeavor to elevate the sentiment of the community to the point necessary to its strict enforcement, we think he would work more effectively than in calling for more legislation.

If further legislation is found necessary, it might be as well to begin with the guilty parents who neglect their duty to their children and society by permitting those for whose training they should be responsible to haunt groggeries and "play cards for whisky."

The press has a duty to perform in this matter, and we are glad to see the *Sentinel* giving it attention. But the great necessity upon these subjects is not more legislation, but the *execution* of the laws we already have. Let the press strive to bring to bear upon district attorneys, grand juries, justices of the peace and others who are charged with seeing that the laws are enforced, a wholesome, determined public sentiment, which will animate, and compel, if need be, these persons to do their duty, and take care that the statutes we already have do not remain a dead letter. We have plenty of law, and more lawyers. Our great need is certain and vigilant execution of the laws we have. If our officers will not do this, little good will it do us to pile one dead letter statute upon another. The people must be educated and awakened to a proper sense of the necessity of allowing no man to violate their laws with impunity, and of permitting no officer who connives at such violation, or fails to bring the offender to justice to have their countenance or support at the polls or elsewhere.

President Johnson is latterly an extremely strict constructionist. He claims to be the especial champion and defender of the constitution—of its spirit as well as letter. How well does he earn the title? The constitution provides that the President "shall nominate, and by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, shall appoint" certain officers of the United States. This provision makes the Senate's consent *necessary*, except as to cases of vacancies *occurring* during the recess of Congress. If the Senate reject a nomination that makes an end of the appointment. A. Johnson, Dictator, has, however, appointed to the Assistantship of Internal Revenue at Philadelphia, O. B. Simpkins, who was three times rejected by the Senate. The vacancy occurred long before the recess of Congress, and not "during" the recess. As to the filling of that vacancy, the constitution plainly intends that the President *and* the Senate shall act. The Senate's voice is as necessary as the President's. The President had nominated three times and the Senate had rejected as often. By the plainest meaning of the constitution, Simpkins could not be appointed, because a co-ordinate appointing power had pronounced against him. The President might have nominated some other man whom the Senate would agree to and thus have filled the vacancy before the recess occurred. He chose not to do it, but to wait till Congress adjourned and then to appoint a thrice rejected man to a vacancy which did not occur during the recess a vacancy which he could constitutionally fill, only "by and with the advice and consent of the Senate." If this be a strict construction, or in any sense obedience to the plain spirit of the constitution, we fail to see it.

This action of the President most palpably indicates his determination to be *the* appointing power, in spite of Senate or constitution. If he can thus defy the will of the Senate, by refraining from appointing while Congress is in session and as soon as the recess occurs, appointing whom the Senate had rejected, the clause of the constitution above quoted becomes a mere nullity, the Senate is no longer known in connection with the appointing power and the will of a headstrong President is the only law. How closely does A. Johnson, Dictator, stick to the letter and spirit of the constitution?

The *Herald* says that the self-chosen delegates who have taken it upon themselves to represent Oregon in the Philadelphia Convention without inquiry whether Oregon wants to be represented there or not, have as much reason to appoint themselves delegates and appear at Philadelphia in the name of the people of Oregon as Horace Greeley had to cast the vote of this State at the Chicago Convention in 1860. It then asks with a sneer if "the Republicans (of Oregon) ever repudiated his (Greeley's) acts?" Truly enough, what wonderful similarity there is between the two cases! The only difference is that in the case of Greeley, he had the proxies of gentlemen who were duly appointed by the Republicans of this State to represent Oregon in the Chicago Convention; while those who have assumed to represent this State at Philadelphia on the 14th instant, have not conferred with any portion of the people, were not chosen by any party in Oregon, and therefore act without authority from anybody. Greeley was duly appointed to act for the Republicans of Oregon at Chicago, while "S. Seymour" in proposing to appear at Philadelphia acts entirely on his own account. Nobody can be more absurd than the *Herald* editor when he tries. In the language of Mr. Bumble his "folly is as brazen as alabaster." As Mr. "S. Seymour" represents him at Philadelphia, will he inform us who Mr. "S. Seymour" is? On inquiry we think it would appear that his other name is J. R. Doolittle.

PACIFIC RAILROAD.—By the 4th of July the Pacific Railroad was completed from Omaha to a point 135 miles west of that place, and within 15 miles of Fort Kearney. The track is being laid at the rate of nine miles per week. It is expected that the road will reach Denver City within a year.

FROM WASHINGTON TERRITORY.

Our regular Olympia correspondent sends us the following items, under date August 5:

The new mail contractors, Granger & Davis, have bought out the old line of stages from Olympia to Monticello. They immediately raised the fare to the old price, $15; at which "the traveling public" feel somewhat indignant.

The town authorities enforced the Sunday law "everearly" on one of the saloons this week. To evade the law, the saloon keepers allowed their customers to enter at the back door. Complaint was made by the barkeeper of the other saloon—had the defendants brought before the justice and mulcted in some $50 fine and costs.

A few days ago a gentleman entered one of our dry goods stores to make a purchase, when the two conversing circles both came forward to wait upon him, each desiring the honor. Avtooth could not, they soon came to words, and at last to blows, about it. Meanwhile, the gentleman took a seat, calmly looked on, and awaited the result, which soon ended in two bruised heads. Complaint for breaking the peace of the town was made, and they were brought before justice. One of them acknowledged his guilt. The other was questioned by the justice, when he answered: "Ish po cushtom guilty as he," meaning the other clerk: "if he's po guilty, ish po guilty." Consequently a few dollars costs settled the matter.

On Monday, two horses with a wagon belonging to the Small boys (maintaker) started on a run up Main street. At a short distance the wagon was run into a tree standing by the sidewalk and completely wrecked. A more total ruin of a wagon was never seen. The horses were soon stopped without further damage.

Governor Pickering returned on the *Mary Woon* from Seagut river, without proceeding up to Mr. Baker. Another attempt will made by the English gentleman that was with the party.

Hon. A. A. Denny, Delegate, is expected here from Washington in a few days.

It is understood that Secretary Evans will remain and attend the Philadelphia Convention.

A war of words between a servant man and the public printer, concerning the mail matter of Secretary Evans, has become town gossip this last week, affording amusement to outsiders and a local notice in the *Tribune*.

The *Tribune* says: "Asa the *Jane McNear* was passing the Victoria the blade, in passing forward was knocked overboard by a steer. A thorough wetting was the result."

The Seattle *Weekly* of July 30th says: "A riot occurred on board the bark *Jenny Pitts*, a few days ago, while lying at Port Orchard. It seems that the first and second mates got into a difficulty, and had a fight, when the former ordered the latter. The second then took the matter up in behalf of the second mate. The first mate went aft and got a pistol, which the steward away from him, beating him severely with it, and then throwing it overboard. The disturbance then subsided."

We are informed that a floating Whisky Battery and Brance House has been erected on Puget Sound, and that it is the intention of the contending Pimp to lay siege to all the different ports on the Sound, (Port Madison not excepted). We hope the people will give them a warm reception.

Our readers will doubtless recollect that during the last session of the Legislature, a bill was passed appropriating $600 for the purpose of building a road from Skagit River to Lake Chelan, distance some 40 or 50 miles, provided the inhabitants interested in the construction of the road furnish an equal amount of money, which we are informed they have done, or nearly so. Mr. Kellogg, of Snohomish, who is soliciting subscriptions for that purpose, informs us that he has succeeded in raising most of the money, and there is no doubt but operations will be commenced immediately.

A new road has just been completed from Port Madison to Port Blakely. Mr. G. A. Meigs, of Port Madison, took the matter in hands and opened the road to within a few rods of Port Blakely. The Supervisor at the latter place, Mr. David Livingstone, then completed it.

At about four o'clock on last Saturday afternoon, the alarm of fire was heard. It proved to be the residence of Judge Ross. A general rush was made for the place of the disaster, a line was formed from the house to the beach, buckets of water passed from hand to hand, and in a wonderfully short time the conflagration was stopped, without having done very serious damage, though the roof and upper part of the building were badly burned.

FROM CANYON CREEK.

The following extracts from a letter from Mr. Waldron of the Exploring party sent out to explore Canyon Creek, is from the *Chronicle*:

I beg to make you the following report of the proceedings of our party of five men.

We left this place on the 21st of June and reached Hixon's creek on the 26th instant. Of course we found it necessary in the first place to saw lumber for sluices and to construct a ditch to bring water on our claim. Owing to the scarcity of all kinds of tools the latter work occupied us ten days, although only one-fourth of a mile in length. The original ditch made by Mr. Hixon's party was left this season, becoming completely filled up. During the process of snow and ice on the ground, we found it almost impossible to keep our new ditch in order, and having left the water running during one night in a break which occurred, I found in the morning prospects of $1 to $1 25 to the pan.

We therefore commenced work in that spot and in a space of ground about 10 by 25 feet, in less than a day's work we washed out $70.

The other work which we had done had yielded well, and our whole results amounted to $210.

Estimating the actual number of days' work to realise this, we found our pay amounted to $17 per day to the man. Under favorable circumstances and with hydraulic pipe, with our present prospects, I think the ground will pay fifty dollars a day to the hand. When I left, the "face" of our claim was about six feet high and paid from the surface down.

The Blue Lead Company, of seven men, under the management of Mr. Shepherd, joining us on the upper side, have not yet commenced washing. Their dirt prospects from three to five bits to the pan. They are letting in their ditch twenty feet higher than ours, and will probably have it completed in about eight days.

The Gee-head Co. are about half a mile above the Blue Lead Co., and have struck a prospect of four bits to the pan on slate bed rock. Up to this company the whole of the bed rock consists of a rather soft sandstone, and it is my opinion that it is not solid, but that a second layer of gravel will be found beneath it.

There are all the companies at present located.

Specimens of gold-bearing quartz are to be met with on all sides. We have a few specimens with us in which the gold is visible in every part. Several of the veins are apparently well defined, and will in my opinion eventually form the most permanent and valuable leads of gold in the country.

In conclusion I can only say that I have the utmost confidence in the prospects of the creek.

FROM BIG BEND.

The Victoria *Chronicle* of July 30th, has the following:

The latest news from this locality was received last night. It is reported that a man knowns as "Black Hawk" has struck a rich prospect in the bank on French Creek. The claim had been abandoned by its former owners. He took out seventeen ounces in one day. Mons. R. Dutil has been badly injured in his claim on French Creek by some timber falling on him. Seventy-five ounces of B. R. dust has been received at Yale.

UNION CANDIDATE IN POLK COUNTY.—Of Jas. B. Riggs, Union candidate for State Senator in Polk county, the *Statesman* says:

Mr. Riggs is a middle aged man, a prosperous farmer, a solid, substantial citizen, an old Oregonian, thoroughly identified with all the interests of the State, a man of sound practical sense, in no sense of the term a politician a sound and reliable Union man, of the highest character for honor and fair dealing, and a man who has no enemies, and against whom his most virulent opponent cannot say aught. He is in all respects worthy and deserving of the confidence and support of every good citizen, and will be triumphantly elected over his Copperhead opponent, Dr. Jeffers. Although it is in the midst of harvest, and the farmers are all busy, yet we hope that no Union man will neglect so important a duty as coming out to the polls at this special election and casting in a vote for Mr. Riggs. Let him have the hearty and enthusiastic support of every Union man.

We have known Mr. Riggs for several years and can endorse all that the *Statesman* says of him. We trust that the Union men of Polk will give him an undivided support. Let him have *every Union vote in the county*. Polk county is true to the Union when she has an even chance, and no hissing Copperhead should be permitted to go into the State Senate with her consent.

The *Herald* for a few days has manifested unusual concern for A. Johnson, Doolittle & Co.—sponding all its space in defending them. In this work its editor is now employing all the abusive scurrility which he poured out against them while they stood true to their party. His method of praising "Moses" is to vituperate the "Radicals." Thus he now defends A. Johnson with the very weapons with which he used to assail him. In the department of gruss, vulgar invective, the *Herald* editor is unrivalled. Alone and unaided he could run a successful tilt against Paracelsus' whole brigade of stink-pot flingers, marshaled in the order related by Swift. A dirtier fellow for Johnson's dirty work could not have been found in Oregon.

The *Herald* says in substance that the aims of the new party now forming are identical with those by which the Union party was guided during the rebellion. Then why in the name of consistency do you now support principles which you opposed bitterly from the beginning of Mr. Lincoln's term of office until his fiendish assassination by members of your party? If Johnson, Doolittle & Co. are the only true representatives of the Union party of the war, and still maintain the principles they held then, tell us how it happens that you opposed them at that time, but pronounce for them now.

When a peaceable and unarmed Convention meets in New Orleans and the *civil authorities* head an infuriate mob in a murderous attack upon it, killing and wounding over a hundred defenceless people, the President telegraphs to an inferior officer of the State, authorizing him to call upon the military for aid to support the *civil authorities*. This is in close imitation of Horatio Seymour's infamous address to the negro-murdering mob of New York, when he called the blood-begrimmed rioters "My friends."

So scarce have the supporters of "my policy" become in Lane county that the *Journal* calls the only one left the "Lone Star" of "my policy."

By Overland Telegraph.

[DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.]

FROM THE NORTH.

SEATTLE, August 8.—The bark *Rainier*, from San Francisco, arrived at Port Gamble on the 7th. Bark *Christopher Mitchell*, 22 days from San Francisco, arrived at Port Madison on the 8th. Bark *Charles D. Evans*, 35 days from San Francisco, on the 6th.

Sailed from Port Madison for San Francisco on the 7th, bark *Gold-Hunter*. On the 8th, bark *Almatia*.

JOHNSON AND DAVIS.—A letter from Washington, whose author is indorsed by the Cass county (Michigan) *Republican*, in which it is published, as a gentleman holding a high official position in Washington, contains the following statement:

Nothing will be done to Jeff. Davis but to liberate him. I have reason to believe that President Johnson is in his power, and that Davis has in his hands, or in those of his counsel, Charles O'Connor, a letter written by Johnson at an early day, proposing to join the rebellion, provided he should have a seat in the Confederate Cabinet. You can, upon this hypothesis, account for the fact that although sixteen days under last Johnson has been fully and officially acquainted with the evidence, in detail, proving that Davis was an accessory before the fact in the murder of Lincoln, he has prevented his trial for that crime. This I know.

The Marysville *Appeal* says that not one of the Union papers of California will follow Johnson into the Copperhead den through the Philadelphia Convention. The same may be said of Oregon.

The Indians on the plains can't agree even with each other. Some of the tribes are at war. One hundred warriors of the Utes lately crossed the North Platte on an expedition after the Sioux. Pity that they couldn't exterminate each other all round.

Masonic.—A regular convocation of Portland Royal Arch Chapter No. 3, will be held this evening. Companions in good standing are invited to attend.

MARRIED:

At the residence of the bride's father, in Washington county, Oregon, July 29th, 1866, by Erastus Savage, J. P., George Beebe to Miss Mary McLee, daughter of Henry McLee, all of Washington county.

NEW TO-DAY.

Dividend Notice.

OFFICE OF OREGON STEAM NAVIGATION CO.,
Portland, Oregon, August 8th, 1866.

A DIVIDEND HAS BEEN THIS DAY DECLARED upon the Capital Stock of this Company, payable on and after the tenth instant.

aug9d6t THEO. WYGANT, Secretary.

Educational.

THE SCHOOLS UNDER CHARGE OF THE SISTERS of the Most Holy Names of Jesus and Mary, will resume studies for the ensuing year as follows:

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A TROTTING RACE WILL COME OFF NEXT SATURDAY over Multnomah Trotting Park for Purse and Stake, $100; Mile Heats, 3 best in 5, to harness and to rule. One of the best races of the season may be anticipated. M. M. Southworth names bay gelding Mohawk. Daniel Dennison names sorrel gelding Selim.

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Oregon City, August 8th, 1866. d1au19 D. MILLER, Secretary.

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Saturday, the 18th of August, 1866,

to furnish at this Depot the following supplies for public use, viz:

(525,000.) Five Hundred and Twenty-five Thousand Pounds of good merchantable OATS, to be delivered in the Quartermaster's Granaries.

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Bidders will state the prices in Gold Coin, or its equivalent in U. S. Currency.

Each Bid is required to be in duplicate and accompanied by a Bond in duplicate with two or more sureties for the performance of the proposal contained in the bid in case it is accepted.

All Contractors will be required to give bonds with good and sufficient sureties for the faithful performance of contract; also, both contractors and sureties will be required to take the Oath of Allegiance to the United States of America.

Contracts will be made with the lowest responsible bidder; the Quartermaster reserving to himself the right to reject any or all of the bids if deemed unreasonable, and no contract will be considered in force, unless it has the approval of the Department and Division Commanders.

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THIS COMPANY HAVE LATELY ENLARGED their Works, and by the introduction of the most improved Machinery and Tools, are fully able to compete with any Iron Works on this coast, both in the character of work, and their facilities for executing contracts and orders promptly for any kind of Machinery required, embracing—

MARINE, STATIONARY and PORTABLE ENGINES and BOILERS;
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Shafting and Pulleys, Iron Fronts, Doors and Shutters, and all kinds of Machinery and Castings.

For the convenience of parties ordering Machinery of us we furnish at the lowest market prices, Belting, Screens, Copper Plates, Leather and Rubber Belting.

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E. S. MORGAN, Secretary. my15d1f

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(Successor to C. W. VAUGHN,)

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

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IRON, STEEL, ANVILS, BELLOWS,

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS,

ROPE, TAR, PITCH, OAKUM,

OARS,

&c., &c., &c.

ALSO, JUST RECEIVED A LARGE, FULL AND complete assortment of

REAPERS, MOWERS & THRESHERS.

Among the most approved and best adapted to wants of the Oregon Farmers are the KIRBY & BALL'S COMBINED MOWERS and REAPERS—KIRBY, BALL & WOOD'S MOWERS—PITTS, WHEELER'S and MASSILLON'S THRESHERS and SEPARATORS. A full assortment of these and other Machinery constantly on hand, and for sale at prices greatly reduced below the prices ever before offered in Oregon.

No. 116 FRONT STREET,
Portland, Oregon.
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R. G. SNEATH,

WHOLESALE GROCER,

25 Front Street,

(Opposite O. S. S. Co.'s Wharf,)

PORTLAND, OREGON.

Goods by the Package

FOR CASH AT

San Francisco Prices and Freight.

☞ Orders promptly filled in San Francisco if desired. Portland, March 1, 1865. dtf

CLOCKS! CLOCKS! CLOCKS!

WE HAVE RECEIVED A LARGE LOT

OF

SETH THOMAS CLOCKS!

WHICH WE WILL SELL TO THE TRADE, IN Original Cases, at AGENTS' RATES.

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ASSAY OFFICE!

KING, MYRICK & CO.,

(Successors to E. W. Tracy & Co.)

HAVING PURCHASED THE ENTIRE INTEREST OF E. W. TRACY & CO., in their

ASSAY OFFICE,

No. 58 Front Street,

We are prepared to continue the Business of ASSAYING GOLD DUST, ORES, &c.

Portland, April 10th, 1866. MARK A. KING,
JORDAN MYRICK,
EDWARD WEBB.
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R. HENDRIE,

Importer and Wholesale Dealer in

FINE WINES!

BRANDIES AND LIQUORS,

51 Front Street,

PORTLAND, OREGON.

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THE PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO,

IS PREPARED TO INSURE AGAINST ALL MARINE and INLAND NAVIGATION RISKS on Treasure, Cargo or Freight.

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Sugars! Sugars!

NOW LANDING, EX BARK A. A. ELDRIDGE, FROM HONOLULU, S. I.,

WILL BE OFFERED TO THE TRADE at LOW RATES.

je12tf ALLEN & LEWIS.

SAW-MILL MACHINERY For Sale.

ONE SET OF FIRST-CLASS IRONS FOR A CIRCULAR Saw-Mill, now and complete, is offered for sale on reasonable terms by the undersigned. The machinery is now on store at McCraken, Merrill & Co.'s, boxed ready for shipment to any point. Bills of the machinery may be seen at the Store of McLerran Bros., Second street, between Salmon and Main streets.

Portland, May 30, 1866. M. L. McLERAN. d2p1f

Steamers.

OREGON STEAM NAVIGATION CO.

SUMMER ARRANGEMENT.

THE STEAMERS

NEW WORLD,

CASCADE,

OR

WILSON G. HUNT,

CAPT. JOHN WOLFE.....Commander,

Will leave PORTLAND, daily (Sundays excepted) at 5 o'clock A. M. for the CASCADES, connecting with the Steamers

ONEONTA OR IDAHO,

CAPT. JOHN McNULTY.....Commander,

FOR DALLES—THROUGH IN ONE DAY.

THE STEAMERS

YAKIMA,

WEB-FOOT,

TENINO,

OWYHEE,

NEZ PERCES CHIEF,

SPRAY, and

ONAGON,

Captains E. Y. COE, C. FELTON, J. H. GRAY, and THOS. STUMP,

Will run during the Season from CELILO to UMATILLA, WALLULA, WHITE BLUFFS, PALOUSE and LEWISTON.

One of the above named Boats will leave CELILO for UMATILLA and WALLULA, on

TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY of each week.

Boats will be dispatched for WHITE BLUFFS, PALOUSE and LEWISTON as often as the necessity of the trade will demand.

THE STEAMER

SHOSHONE,

CAPT. J. MYRICK.....Commander,

Will run from OLDS FERRY on Snake River to BOISE CITY, OWYHEE and SOUTH BOISE LANDINGS connecting with

THOMAS & CO.'S STAGES,

And B. M. DURELL & CO.'S FAST FREIGHT LINES.

Portland, March 1s 1866.

J. AINSWORTH,
President O. S. N. Co.

dtf

OREGON STEAM NAVIGATION CO.

NOTICE.

For Astoria and Monticello!!

U. S. MAIL!

THE U. S. MAIL STEAMER

JOHN H. COUCH,

SNOW.....Master,

Will leave Portland for

ASTORIA AND INTERMEDIATE LANDINGS,

ON

Monday and Friday of Each Week,

at 6 o'clock A. M.

RETURNING—Will leave Astoria on TUESDAY and SATURDAY at 6 A. M.

the Steamer RESCUE,

STRAY.....Master,

Will leave Portland for

MONTICELLO & INTERMEDIATE LANDINGS,

WITH U. S. MAIL,

every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday

At 7 o'clock A. M.

RETURNING—Will leave Monticello on every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY, at 7 A. M.

J. C. AINSWORTH, Pres't.

Portland, July 9, 1866. jy10d1f

OREGON STEAM NAVIGATION CO.

NOTICE.

For White Bluffs!

THE STEAMER

YAKIMA,

COB.....Master,

WILL LEAVE CELILO EVERY SATURDAY

FOR WHITE BLUFFS.

PRICE OF FREIGHT, $40 per ton from Portland.

For Lewiston!

THE STEAMER

OWYHEE,

FELTON.....Master,

will leave

Wallula for Lewiston

EVERY WEDNESDAY.

Portland, April 10th, 1866.

J. C. AINSWORTH, Pres't.

dtf

OREGON STEAM NAVIGATION CO.

NOTICE.

FREIGHT ON FLOUR REDUCED.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, THE 23D OF APRIL, till further notice, Freight on Flour will be as follows:

From Portland to Umatilla.....$20 00 per ton.
" " " Wallula.....22 50 " "
" " " White Bluffs.....30 00 " "
" " " Lewiston.....40 00 " "

Portland, April 21, 1866.

J. C. AINSWORTH, Pres't.

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PEOPLE'S TRANSPORTATION CO'S Notice.

THE STEAMER

SENATOR

WILL LEAVE PORTLAND DAILY, AT 6 A. M.,

(Sundays excepted),

For Oregon City,

Connecting with the Steamers

ENTERPRISE OR ECHO,

On MONDAY and THURSDAY of each week,

FOR SALEM, ALBANY & CORVALLIS.

ALSO, WITH THE

Steamer Union,

ON MONDAYS, WEDNESDAYS, AND FRIDAYS,

For DAYTON and intermediate points.

Salem, July 24th 1866. A. A. McCULLY,
Pres't People's Trans. Co.

dtf

STEAMER RANGER!

WILL LEAVE PORTLAND FOR MONTICELLO and all way Landings on

Mondays and Fridays at 7 o'clock A. M.

The Boat will go through the Willamette Slough every other week, commencing with the week July 30th.

Apply on board at Lincoln House Wharf.

jy28d3m J. N. FISHER, Master.

REMOVAL.

J. VOGELSDORFF & CO.,

IMPORTERS AND MANUFACTURERS OF

HAVANA AND DOMESTIC

CIGARS!

302 Sansome Street, near Sacramento,

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GEO. H. POWERS, M. D.,

LATE OPHTHALMIC SURGEON TO Boston Dispensary, and assistant to Dr. H. W. Williams in Ophthalmic Department of New City Hospital, Boston, has taken rooms at 646 California street, San Francisco, and will give exclusive attention to treatment of diseases of the Eye.

Office Hours—10½ to 12, and from 2 to 4 P. M.

Dr. Powers refers by permission to Rev. A. L. Stone, D. D., Ira P. Rankin, Esq., L. B. Beechley, Esq. je12-3m2p

Lost.

CERTIFICATE OF DEPOSIT NO. 2,002, for $1,760, dated April 1st, 1865, issued by Wells, Fargo & Co., Portland, and payable to Lewis Smith. The public are hereby notified not to purchase the same as payment has been stopped.

July 21st, 1866. d1m2p LEWIS SMITH.

Auction and Commission.

OSCAR KILBOURN,

AUCTIONEER,

No. 66 Front Street,

AUCTION SALES—TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS,

OF

Real Estate, Stock, Furniture, Horses, and General Merchandise.

SPECIAL SALES attended to in any part of the City.

LIBERAL CASH ADVANCES made on Consignments.

A General Assortment of MERCHANDISE on hand at PRIVATE SALE AT AUCTION PRICES.

ALSO:

Large assortment of GROCERIES, A. B. RICHARDSON, &c.

LARGE AND PEREMPTORY

OF

Furniture, Crockery & General Merchandise &c.

I WILL SELL AT MY AUCTION RAY

SATURDAY, AUG. 11TH, 1866,

at 10 o'clock A. M.

Parlor, Dining-Room, Bed-Room and Kitchen Furniture.

ALSO:

479 boxes EMERY'S CANDLES;
312 boxes WOOD'S do
121 boxes STARR do

ALSO:

1,000 boxes C. C. SOAP;
285 boxes YELLOW SOAP;
190 boxes CASTILE do

ALSO:

100 hhbls NO. 1 SUGAR;
280 hhbls NO. 2 do
100 kegs MOLASSES.

ALSO:

FOR ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN,

3 bbls MERCHANDISE.

A. B. RICHARDSON, Auctioneer.

Special Sale

OF

VALUABLE FARM

For Sale at Auction.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL SELL HIS Farm situated Five Miles North-East of Portland, on Columbia Slough, on

Friday, August 10th, 1866,

Comprising 104 acres of good land, 133 rods of which is fence, with 20 acres of natural Meadow.

There is on the premises a 1½ STORY DWELLING HOUSE, with a good Cellar, Cistern and other buildings, also, a GOOD ORCHARD.

He will also sell his HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, FARMING IMPLEMENTS, HORSES, CATTLE, BEES, and CROP OF CORN, HAY, &c.

Everything delivered on day of sale, and possession of Farm given. Land Title Perfect.

TERMS OF SALE:—All sums under ten dollars over ten dollars, on 12 months, with 6 per cent. interest for Cash. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock A. M.

WILLIAM [illegible].

N. B.—The land is situated on the "Wm. Hall's Donation Claim."

A. B. RICHARDSON, Auctioneer.

Peremptory Sale

OF

VALUABLE HOMESTEAD PROPERTY

I WILL SELL AT MY AUCTION RAY

SATURDAY, SEPT. 1ST, 1866,

At 10 o'clock A. M.

The Fractional part of Lot numbered Five (5) in Block numbered Seven; commencing at the S.E. corner of Madison street; thence running northerly Sixty feet; thence easterly sixty-two and a-half feet; thence southerly Twenty-five feet; thence westerly sixty-two and a-half feet to place of beginning; together with

STONE COTTAGE 24x50.

ALSO:

DESIRABLE HOMESTEAD

Fractional part of Lot Five in Block Seven, together with

TWO-STORY HOUSE,

Containing Eight Rooms, all Hard-Finished, and Water on premises.

ALSO:

Fractional part of Lot Five in Block Seven, three and-a-half feet on Madison Street by 50 feet in depth together with

TWO-STORY HOUSE,

Containing Eight Rooms, Wood-shed and Water-lots. Title Perfect. Terms Cash.

A. B. RICHARDSON, Auctioneer.

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No. 316 Sacramento street,

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ABOVE WADDING AND BATTING, OF quality and cheaper than any other in the market, is hereby offered to the trade in suitable quantities on the most favorable terms.

ROSENBAUM & FRIEDMAN,
Sole Agents, 316 Front street.

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WELL & CO.

No. 225 Front Street, San Francisco,

SOLE IMPORTERS

OF THE FOLLOWING BRANDS OF Superior to any in the Market:

PEACH OFFERING;
FRUIT BASKET;
PEARL OFFERING;
GOLDEN CHAIN;
IMPERIAL;
CAMELIA.

Besides LIGHT HAVANAS AND NATURALS of every description. Also, by every Steamer,

GENUINE HAVANA CIGARS

In Bond or Duty Paid.

WELL & CO.,
225

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A. B. RICHARDSON,
AUCTIONEER,
Corner of Front and Oak Streets.

AUCTION SALES
REAL ESTATE, GROCERIES, GENERAL
CHANDISE AND HORSES

...e Days—Wednesday and Saturday.

A. B RICHARDSON, Auctioneer

At Private Sale.

...NGLISH ENPINED BAR and ROADLE IRON ...
do SQUARE & OCTAGON CAST STEEL;
...ORSE SHOE FILES CASE'S SAW...
...CREWS, PRY PANS SHEET IRON R...G IRON.

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Large assortment of GROCERIES & LIQUORS.
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WILLIAM HAY.

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Peremptory Sale
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...ILL SELL AT MY AUCTION SALES-ROOM ON
...ATURDAY, SEPT. 15TH 1866,
At 10 o clock A M

...part of Lot numbered Five in Block num...
Seven, ... running 50 ft N. E. corner of First an...
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...half feet to place of beginning, together with
STONE CELLAR 24x50.

ALSO

...SIRABLE HOMESTEAD!
...mall part of Lot Five in Block Seven, 25x85½ fee...
together with
TWO-STORY HOUSE,
...ining Right ... all Hard-Finished, Wa...
...Water on p...

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...mall part of Lot Five in Block Seven, thirty-seven
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PEACH OFFERING;
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In Bond or Duly Paid
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...FFK HANGINGS
AND
Window Shade
...AREHOUSE!
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319 California St San Francisco.

The Daily Oregonian.

CITY.

Money Market.

San Francisco Legal Tender rates ... 31½@32½
New York Gold Quotations ... 147½

MEETING OF THE COMMON COUNCIL.—The regular weekly meeting of the City Council was held last evening at the usual hour Mayor Failing presiding.

The following members were present Messrs. Carter Hallock, Lownsdale, McCraken O'Connor and Rosenheim

The records of the previous meeting were read and approved

A communication was received from Mrs M A Hoyt asking for the purchase of the house on market block, and relative to the grade of Morrison street at the intersection of Sixth street which was referred to the Committee on streets and Public property

Communications from Street Commissioner Simmons relative to the needed repairs on Front street and recommending the whitewashing of side walks on the north side of the plaza, and the erection of two street lamps on the north side of the plaza were received and referred to the Committee on Streets and Public Property

Foreman Dodge of Columbian Engine Company No. 3 submitted a request that the house now at the House of that Company be repaired or replaced by a new one. Referred.

Chief Engineer Young reported that the cistern corner of Third and Montgomery streets was completed, and recommended that it be connected with the water main Referred

A petition for a street lamp on Salmon street, at the intersection of Broadway street, was referred.

The committee on streets and public property reported that the remonstrance to the improvement of H street was signed by over two thirds of the property to be affected, and recommended that work be stayed. The report was accepted and recommendation adopted.

The committee to whom was referred the matter of securing rooms suitable for the purposes of a Council Chamber and the Recorder's Court, reported that two proposals had been received by them One from Messrs. Wells Bros. for the rooms at present occupied by them with two additional front rooms at $60 per month, for two years and one from Messrs Zolle Frankenau & Co., for rooms on First street at $40 or on Front street at $50 per month.

On motion the matter was postponed for one week

The report of the City Recorder for July showing the amount of fines collected, and fees of the Marshal and Recorder for the month, was received and referred to the committee on health and police. Total collections from fines were given at $188 25, fees of Marshal $143 15 fees of Recorder $128 15

Warrants were ordered in payment of claims against the city as follows H L Pittock, advertising, $5 W F Cooper & Co., repairs to lamp post, $3 50, J H Perry & Co, sand for street in front of Rogers House No. 1, $5 Jacob Underhill & Co. dray room for Eagles Co No 2, $22 60 H L Hoyt, board of prisoners for July $95 J H Perry & Co timber for cistern top on First street, $19 58 Oregon Iron Works grates for catch water basins $15 90 Wm W Cox, repairing sewer on Hall street $22 50 J H Perry & Co, stone work on Front street cross drains $48 40, T J Bolger on account of repairs to mud screws $15 50, J H Perry & Co., work on Front street, $495 70

An ordinance appropriating money to defray the expenses of erecting a hydrant in front of Engine house No 2, was read twice

Warrants were ordered for the collection of delinquent assessments for the improvement of Front street, between Pine and C streets.

In pursuance of a resolution offered by Mr Rosenheim the Council proceeded to elect a member from the First Ward to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of P. C Schuyler jr.

Mr McCraken nominated Al Zeller, Mr Carter nominated C. Bills Mr Lownsdale nominated L. H. Wakefield; Mr Rosenheim nominated H Lewis On the eighth ballot, Mr Zeller having received five votes, was declared duly elected, and the Board adjourned

MOUNT HOOD.—In a recent issue of this paper, an account of the successful ascent of Mount Hood, the wonder of travelers, was given Man is largely indebted to nature as scenery for the sublime and savage, or beautiful and picturesque in nature. Some peaks are so lofty as to appear constantly enveloped in the clouds, piercing as it were, the very sky itself This continent contains ranges of mountains which are the themes and admiration of the scholar, painter, traveler, or even casual observer. The following are some of the highest mountains on the globe, surveyed by various geographers, together with their location

	FEET
Kunchinjinga, Himalaya range, India	28,176
Tupungato, Andes range, South America	23,000
Dhawalla Kenka, Mountains of the Moon, East Africa,	21,000
Mount Hood, Coast range, Oregon	18,000
Mount St. Elias, Coast range, Russian America	17,900
Mont Blanc, Alps range, Savoy	15,760
Mount St Bernard, Alps range, Switzerland	11,080

In addition to these may be added the height of some of the principal volcanoes on the earth, whose names are as "familiar as household words" to the student

	FEET
Cotopaxi, Andes range, South America	18,876
Popocatepetl, Cordilleras range, Mexico	17,884
Mount Hecla, Iceland	5,110
Vesuvius, South Appalachians, Naples	3,932

It is somewhat rare to find an inclined mountain but we have an instance in that of Mount Egmont situated in New Zealand, Australasia, which is 8,839 feet high. And a divide mountain into ... being thus above 10,000 feet of the first class, be west from ... 4,000 feet of the second, and from thence to 2,000 feet of the third Some have put Mount Hood down to 12,000 feet in their books but we believe our figures are nearer correct. Of late, landscape painters of note have been here and made this mountain peak a subject for the productions of their beautiful work of art. Bierstadt sold his to A. T. Stewart, the merchant prince of New York, for $20 000 Later F. A. Bridgman, of San Francisco, has furnished the art world with a specimen from his studio, and it is now on exhibition at Schaus'er & Dreyer's, corner of First and Morrison streets. Within a few days they have had some beautiful photographs of it executed by Ellsworth & Cardwell, 59 First street, in sizes suitable either for the parlor wall or an album which they offer for sale at a reasonable rate, here at home. At the season of the year Mount Hood, with its cap of eternal snow, is one of the most beautiful sights on the American continent, and eventually will be a point of attraction to tourists from every part of the civilized world.

OUR COUNTRY AND ITS AFFAIRS.—The events of the present ... are every day demonstrating the correctness of views frequently presented through this paper, concerning the importance of Oregon commercial affairs, and go very far in confirmation of the expressions made on several years past by the gentlemen who compose the Oregon Steam Navigation Company, and well as to accord the especial liberality of the monopolists, who now place "opposition" at the head of their ship plug posters The Oregon Steam Navigation Company have labored energetically and persistently to build up for this country such channels through which the business of transportation inland might speedily be effected and to realize how far they have been successful one need but to take a look at the immensity of their improvements From Portland for a distance of seven hundred miles on the Columbia and Snake rivers, they employ steamers which would be a credit to many older communities, counting wealth by millions against the thousands of this. Had the steamship companies who should be considered co-workers of the Oregon Steam Navigation Company in this matter, done fairly by us, what might not Oregon now be considered, in a commercial point of view? In spite of all unfavorable circumstances, the freighting and passenger business of this city has wonderfully increased since last year. Twelve months ago the shipping of this port consisted of five barks and two steamships, employing about sixty ships per year This year we have four steamships, almost taking at the rate of nine ships per month, and the total number of arrivals will fall but little short of one hundred and twenty, including sail vessels. In place of the five barks in the trade with San Francisco we now have three of that class of vessels in direct communication with Honolulu. This steady and reasonable growth cannot fail of being very conspicuous to all parties; and it presents a striking commentary on the "independent" situation we have attained being, as we are, indebted to no element in California for our success, but even have been obliged to fight against all the combined and factious elements of that State that could be mustered against us, from the California Steam Navigation Company, and other higher in authority which it would not be judicious to mention at this time, down to the rider for a hide-tiller pony express.

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Another, rendered savage and profane, telegraphs his foreman:

"Sell that office stove and send the proceeds. We don't need it in warm weather. Discharge the devil.

P. S.—Give our Legislature h—l for this."

One poor fellow, who is caught a long way from home, it being a small town on the Illinois river, nearly despairs of getting back again. This is his dispatch:

UTICA, N. Y., May 13, 1866.
BLUE LION TAVERN.

"DEAR WIFE: Selling off clothes for what they will bring, and ready at once. Had my linen duster for supper, and my spare shirt will have to go for lodging. May be able to make a light breakfast on a German silver quarter and a pair of shears that I chanced to have with me. Don't know when I shall be able to get home. It will depend a good deal on the walking. Don't marry for a few months; there is a bare possibility of my getting back.

SIMON."

St. Lawrence County, (N. Y.,) editor telegraphs his assistant editor:

"If my letter has appeared, cut out the puff of the New York Central Railroad. Give them something about 'Shinning Monopoly,' 'Dangerous Roadway,' 'Rotten Bridges' &c. Send me ten dollars."

The editor of Peanuk Ruffler Club telegraphs his partner:

"DEAR SAM: Forward me at once all the money you have, even if it is five dollars."

"P. S.—The editor of the Kipsling Sheet whose puny efforts to rival the Snuffer Club have so often excited our derision, the bringing to of the opposition, whom I threatened horsewhip if he dared to address me, has had rendered me the loan of half a dollar. His gods Bowie his disloyal course during the war in a column leader, double loaded. Make it possible as you can."

"P. S.—Bring down the Kipsling Club with all its wo'ght on the head of that giant monopoly, the New York Central. PEST."

A Buffalo editor, who had his pass taken up at Schenectady, attempted to walk his way home on foot. He got as far as Syracuse when he gave out (his shoes gave out some two or three days before, and he had hoofed it along barefooted), and he dropped by the wayside. He is performing the remainder of the journey on board of a bullhead canal boat. Waiting from Schenectady to Syracuse on the railroad (he said he never was passed so slow before, even train passed him), he has obtained some interesting statistics. He says it took nine thousand four hundred and sixty-two ties laid between these points, only one hundred and thirty-two of them showing signs of decay. There are one thousand seven hundred and one telegraph poles, all being posts of their bark except two hundred and thirty-one.

The Atlantic and Great Western Railway Company were even more strict than the Central in enforcing the new law. If an editor was caught with a pass and no money, the pass was taken up and the train stopped, while the editor was put off—frequently in the woods and miles from any habitation. There are over a hundred editors wandering in the woods on the line of the Atlantic and Great Western Railway in New York State. One poor fellow from Cleveland, supposed to belong to the *Herald*, wandered about for several days in Salamanca, inquiring for the State Line; but was so confused that he was totally unable to say what line. He was last seen applying a leather-cased pocket flask as a compass, to find out where he was. The flask was inscribed "Fairbanks," supposed to have been a present from the scale man.

Companies are being organized for the purpose of searching out the lost editors, and restoring them to their distracted families.

A large number of the pass-ing who live in Eastern New York, and who had been West, are stopped at the Pennsylvania line, unable to get any further. They are anxiously watching and waiting over the border for succor. It will require a whole string of suckers to go 'round. The Atlantic and Great Western Company have very kindly extended to them the use of their water tanks to lodge in.

The following dispatch has passed over the wires from Cataraugus county, N. Y., to the editor of the Posey County (Ind.,) *Bloomer*:

CATARAUGUS COUNTY POOR HOUSE,
May 15, 1866.

Editor of the Posey County Bloomer:

SIR: An emaciated and partially demented creature was picked up in the woods in this vicinity yesterday who had apparently been wandering for some days without food. He could give no account of himself; but on searching him the following articles were found in his pockets, to-wit:

One lead pencil, greatly worn.
One pencil sharpener, patent.
One pair wooden pocket combs.
An annual pass on the Posey County Plank Road.

And a letter from the *Posey County Bloomer*, endorsing him as an attache of that paper, and requesting railroad superintendents to extend the "usual courtesies," &c.

He is quiet and inoffensive, for the most part, but is seized with an occasional frenzy, in which he calls for paper, and writes furiously until exhausted. I can only make out a few sentences, such as "Mr. Editor"—"broad guage a failure"—"Atlantioroad"—"higher'n' Gilderoy"—"crush it out"—"united press"—not what we thought it was," &c., &c. If you know anything of this wretched person, please inform me at once.

JOHN SMITH,
Sup't Cataraugus County Poor House.

One of the Railroad Conductors on the New York Central was shown a pass, with the name of a railroad man attached to it. "Is not that name sufficient?" inquired the anxious passenger. "There is only one name in the United States that is of any account with me just now," replied the Conductor. "What is that?" was the instant inquiry. The Conductor deliberately unrolled a greenback, and pointing to the right hand lower corner, said: "F. E. Spinner."

A RELIC OF IRVING.—A relic that should be dear to book-readers in this country is passing away. The Newark *Journal* states that some changes which fresh street improvements in that city will necessitate, will remove forever that famous little summer-house, the dilapidated remains of which are just within the bounds of Passaic street, and which, when gone, will leave no landmark to indicate the spot where the author of the Sketch-Book sat in the cool of the evening, to pen the editorials summed up in the Salmagundi. A full-sized model of this structure was shown in the Sanitary Fair held in New York two years ago. It is about fifteen feet across, twenty feet to the top of the turret, octagonal shape, built of free stone, stuccoed and ornamented in an expensive manner. It is situated about one hundred yards back from the water's edge, in a delightful ravine, where once was a lake, surrounded by clusters of willow, sycamore, cedar and other evergreens.

BURIED BEFORE BIRTH.—The Duke of Alba, the brother-in-law of Napoleon III., is a short, little man, who has something icy about his whole manner. Small and weak, his face displays an alabaster-hue, which gives him a ghost-like aspect. In Spain the story is current that the Duke was buried before he was born. When his mother was enciente with him she was taken so desperately ill that all the attempts to restore her remained fruitless. The duchess died far away from Madrid, at a chateau which had always been her favorite residence. She was buried in the family vault; and, as is the custom of the Spanish nobility, several valuables, among others her rings, were put into the coffin. The treasures which had been left to oblivion with the Duchess aroused the cupidity of some ruffians; they broke into the vault on the night following the funeral, robbed the dead woman, and would not leave the coffin till they had plucked a flashing diamond from the finger of the corpse. The diamond was on the little finger and would not come off. This gave the body-snatchers the truly cannibal idea of cutting the finger. The pain aroused the apparently dead woman. She came to her senses, sat up in the coffin, and by her unexpected awakening put the robbers to flight. When they departed they forgot to close the vault. The Duchess found sufficient strength to quit her coffin and return to the chateau, where she was at first taken for a ghost, and a priest was called in to exorcise it; but as he was unable to banish the spectre, the people in the chateau gradually began to believe in her corporeal existence. The Duchess recovered and gave birth to a boy, who has never lost the deathly pallor which he brought into the world with him.

ANECDOTE OF PRESIDENT LINCOLN.—The following anecdote of President Lincoln is told in a letter from Panama, which appears in the *Athenæum*. The writer is referring to the war between Chile and Spain. I asked the Chilean Admiral (who is an Englishman, and came out with me) why the Chileans did not try to get the greatest of American Republics to help them. He thought it was no use trying, because a couple of years ago he was sent to Washington to get the permission of Government for the purchase and export of two vessels, at that time contraband of war. President Lincoln received him with the usual affability; and while Seward was reading the Chilean state paper, Abraham Lincoln said: Admiral, I must tell you a little story. When a young man I was very anxious to read a book which belonged to a neighbor of mine. "Neighbor," I asked, "could you lend me this book?" "Certainly," he replied, "you can come here and read it whenever you like." As the book was rather a bulky one I thought this was rather an odd way of lending it to me, but I let that pass. A short time afterwards he came to me. "Lincoln," he said, "can you lend me your bellows?" "Certainly," I replied, "here they are; you can come here and blow away as much as you like." And that is just exactly the case now, Admiral; you can come here and blow away as much as you like, but we cannot let you take the ships away.

HOW THOMAS JEFFERSON TREATED AN OFFICE-HOLDER WHO SLANDERED CONGRESS.—In 1802, when St. Clair was Governor of the Northwest Territory, he delivered an address to the Convention assembled at Chillicothe to prepare a Constitution for what is now the State of Ohio. In that address Governor St. Clair used the following language:

"For all general affairs we have a complete legislature of our own, and they are no more bound by an act of Congress than by an edict of the first consul of France."

This coming to the knowledge of Jefferson, then President, he directed Madison, then Secretary of State, to address the following reply to Governor St. Clair:

"Sir: The President, observing in an address lately delivered by you to the Convention at Chillicothe an intemperance and indecorum of language toward the Legislature of the United States, and a disorganizing spirit and tendency of every evil example, and grossly violating the rules of conduct enjoined by your public station, determines that your commission of Governor of the Northwestern Territory shall cease on the receipt of this notification."

What ought to be done to Johnson for his low abuse of Congress?

THE GREAT EMIGRATION FROM IRELAND.—The *Pall Mall Gazette*, in a late number, thus gives the English view of the Irish Emigration:

Although labor is scarce and wages high in every part of Ireland, the exodus to America is rapidly on the increase. From Cork alone an average of fifteen hundred embark weekly, and from the other Irish ports the migration to the New World, by way of Liverpool, is proportionably rapid. The master wish of every Irishman belonging to the middle and lower classes is not to be to leave his country forever, an object which the pater familias seeks to attain by sending forward across the Atlantic his hardiest and most promising sons and daughters, provided with all the money he can raise, to save more for the transport of the rest of the family. In this way not only an immense amount of labor, but also an immense amount of specie is daily lost to Ireland, and acquired by America. The young and the industrious, the flower of the population, depart—the old and the feeble and the sickly remain behind, awaiting impatiently the transmission of means to follow. It is deplorable that this should be so, but so it is.

The ex-rebel Gen. Magruder, writes from Mexico to a friend in New York, praying intercession, with the United States Government in his behalf that he may return to this country without fear of arrest. He says: "The Imperial Government has gone to destruction and has no money, and we have to get away from here. Many have already left. Price and myself, and some others, are still here; but we are compelled to look out for some other place to go to. There is no hope for anything more here." Whisky has become so costly in this country during the last few years, that Magruder may only find his miseries increased by his return for want of means sufficient to procure his ordinary articles of diet.

THE TRAY FOR LOW.—Some boys were playing cards, recently, in a hay mow in the country, during a terrible storm of wind, rain and thunder. When the war of the elements was at its hight, a tree near the old barn was struck by lightning, and at the same moment a severe blast of wind upset the upper story of the barn and tumbled the card players to the ground, amid a perfect wreck of boards, beams and rafters. The first thing that was heard above the din of tempest was the voice of one of the boys, as he crawled out of the debris, holding fast to the cards, "Remember, boys, I played the tray for low." That chap will be a Lieutenant General, if we ever have another war.

A handsome young gal was set up with one night by a noble young specimen of the true American, with a scissors in his vest pocket—I mean a dry-goods clerk; and the young gal's mother hearing suthin pop, rose from her couch under the impression that her eldest boy was holding a wild revel on the root-beer in the west room. But, on opening the door, she diskivered it was kissin' and huggin' which awakened her from her peaceful repose. "My darter, my darter," this fond parink did cry, "O, that I should live to see this doins' in my own house!" "I know, mother," this sweet village maiden did unto her mother quick reply, "that it is improper, but it is so awful soothin'."

POLITICAL MOVEMENT IN THE SOUTH.—Governor Hamilton, of Texas, has drawn up a call for a Convention of Union men throughout the South, to meet at Washington on the first week of September. Signers are being obtained, and letters sent South to invite the co-operation of the Union men there.

Governor Hamilton calls the August Convention, to be held in Philadelphia, another rebel invasion of the North, to form an alliance with the Democratic party for the re-instatement of the rebel leaders in their former political power, to the utter exclusion of the Union men who have been persecuted, oppressed and ignored for the last few years.

NOTABLE DAMSELS AND THEIR AGES.—Charlotte Cushman will shortly celebrate the sixty-fourth anniversary of her birth. Fanny Kemble her forty-ninth year. Kate Bateman is twenty-four years old. Julia Dean is thirty five. Madame Celeste is sixty-four. Mrs. John Wood is thirty-six. Julia Bennett Barrow is forty one. Adah Isaacs Menken, twenty-seven. Avonia Jones, twenty-three. Kate Reignolds, twenty-seven. Mrs. J. H. Allen is twenty-two. Madame Henriques is twenty, and is the youngest "leading lady" on the stage. Parepa is thirty-eight. Miss Mossmer is twenty-six. Maggie Mitchell is thirty.

"FORTY THIEVES."—As it is said that Beriah Brown and A. W. Randall, the P. M. General, both belonged to the moral reform society in Wisconsin known as the "Forty Thieves," we shall expect a big puff for Johnson in the Portland *Herald*, for the discretion exercised in the appointment. We move for a new sett of locks on the mail bags.—*Appeal.*

A poet in a Nebraska paper ends a poem thus:

"Well, such is life. Whom the gods love
Die young. Whom they hate, live and prosper,
And are elected delegates to Congress
From the several Territories."

CHANGES IN THE MONEY ORDER SYSTEM.—The Postoffice Department at Washington has put the new law of Congress, relating to the money order system in force, commencing with the present fiscal year. The working of the system is changed in several respects, and orders of $50 and under are now sold, while under the old system the maximum was $30. The fees for money orders have also been changed; orders from $1 to $20 being now issued at 10 cents, and over $20 to $50, inclusive, at 25 cents. Under the old law it was necessary for a duplicate to be issued. An affidavit with stamp was first required, for which the party had to pay, as also a fee for the new certificate. Under the new law postmasters can administer oaths free of charge, and the certificate is also furnished without cost, the only expense to the party being the five per cent. revenue stamp. Besides these changes, quite a number of other objectionable features have been removed. On the 2d of August 360 additional money-order offices, mostly in the South and West, will be put in operation. The system is daily increasing in popularity among all classes.

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Of Land for Street Assessments.

NOTICE is hereby given that in pursuance of Warrants issued to me by order of the Common Council of the City of Portland, to collect the assessments due thereon for the improvement of First Street, between Yamhill and Madison Streets, as declared by Ordinance No. 306, I have levied upon, and on the 25th day of August, 1866, at the hour of 11 A. M., will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for U. S. coin at the Court House door in the city of Portland, Multnomah county, State of Oregon, to make said assessments, costs and expenses of sale, each of the following described parcels of land situated in the city of Portland, county and state aforesaid, to-wit:

NO OF BLOCK.	NO OF LOT.	TO WHOM ASSESSED.	AMOUNT OF ASSESSMENT
3	N ½ of 5	J. & L. Bergmann,	$282 00
7	5	——— Emery,	287 00
19	3	L. Love,	220 00
23	4	Est. of Masters,	424 00
23	3	S. Stark,	220 00
23	4	Est. of D. Elwert,	413 00
23	1	G. F. Robinson,	416 00
29	1	" "	399 00
29	2	" "	399 00
0	N ½ of 5	H. F. Starr,	207 00

HENRY L. HOYT,
Marshal of the City of Portland
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Dated July 31st, 1866.

Public Sale,

Of Land for Delinquent County Taxes for 1865.

BY virtue of a warrant issued out of the County Court of the State of Oregon, in Multnomah county, on the 20th day of July, A. D. 1866, and to me directed, for the collection of delinquent taxes for the year 1865, I have this day levied on the following described pieces and parcels of land lying and being in said State and county, and in the city of Portland, according to the plat thereof; and on the 25th day of August, A. D. 1866, I will expose the same, or so much thereof as shall be necessary to pay the taxes and costs due thereon, for the year 1865, at public auction, at the Courthouse door, in the city of Portland, in said State and county, to the highest bidders therefor, in U. S. gold coin, to-wit:

Name.	Lot.	Block.	Tax.
Austin, I. A.	75 ft of n ½ 4	19	$ 5 55
" "	3	19	23 12

And also the following described pieces and parcels of land, lying in Multnomah county, State of Oregon, to-wit

Groome, David, W ½ sec. 29, T 1S, 1 e, 160 acres, $2 77
Oregon T. F. & M. Co., T. 1 N. 1 E. 8 acres, $3 70.

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, A M.,

JACOB STITZEL,
Sheriff Multnomah Co., Oregon.

Public Sale

Of Land for Delinquent County Taxes for 1863

BY virtue of a warrant issued out of the County Court of the State of Oregon, in Multnomah county, on the 21st day of July, A. D. 1866, and to me directed, for the collection of delinquent taxes for the year 1863, I have this day levied upon the following described pieces and parcels of land, lying and being in said State and county, in the city of Portland, according to the plat thereof; and on the 25th day of August, A. D. 1866, I will expose the same, or so much thereof as shall be necessary to pay the taxes and costs due thereon, for the year 1863, at public auction, at the Court House door, in the city of Portland, in said State and county, to the highest bidders therefor, in U. S. gold coin, to-wit:

Name.	Lot.	Block.	Tax.
Coffin, Stephen	3, 4, 5, and 6	134	$63 00
" "	4 and S ½ 3	72	148 40
" "	5	10	5 40
" "	3 4, N ½ 5 and 6	101	12 60
" "	all	102	3 60
" "	2, 3 and 4	122	2 70
" "	all	193	9 00
" "	5 and 6	192	2 70
" "	4, 5, 6 and 7	198	3 60
" "	1, 2, 7 and 8	199	3 60
" "	7 and 8	191	3 60

And also those certain pieces or parcels of land, lying in said State and county, to-wit:

Coffin, Stephen, part of Sec. 4, T 1S, R. 1 W., 158 acres $283 00
" " " Und. ½ Secs. 27 and 28, T. 1 S., R. 1 W., 80 acres 6 30

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock A. M.

JACOB STITZEL,
Sheriff of Multnomah County, Oregon.

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Sheriff's Sale.

BY VIRTUE of an execution and foreclosure of a mortgage to me directed, issued out of the Circuit Court for Multnomah County, wherein William Meek is plaintiff and Dorance D. Dorgan and J. P. Miller are defendants, commanding me to make sale of the property as described in the decree and foreclosure, I have this day levied on the following described real estate, *to-wit:* The fractional east half of the south-west quarter of Section 19, Township 1, South, Range 2 east, and the south-east quarter of the north-west quarter of Section 19, same Township and Range; and the fractional south east quarter of Section 19, same Township and Range; also the fractional north half of the east quarter of Section 30, same Township and Range; also a small portion on the East side of the West half of the south-west quarter of the north-west quarter of Section 19, same Township and Range, being same lands known and designated in notification certificate in the office of the Surveyor General of the Public Lands in Oregon, made by Henry Miller and his wife as their Land Claim under the laws of Congress; most of said lands lying and being in Multnomah county, State of Oregon; together with the privileges and appurtenances thereunto belonging; and will proceed to sell the same at Public Auction, in front of the new Court House door, in Multnomah county, State of Oregon, on Tuesday, the 21st day of August, A. D. 1866, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., or so much thereof as will be necessary to satisfy the plaintiff's demand, amounting to ($2,759 48-100), two thousand, three hundred and fifty 48-100 dollars, and interest thereon from the 14th day of June, A. D. 1866, together with costs, &c.

JACOB STITZEL,
Sheriff of Multnomah County.

Portland, July 23, 1866. tf

Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of an execution to me directed, issued out of the circuit Court of Multnomah county, Oregon, wherein R. Hendrie is plaintiff and Mrs. Jane Swift is defendant, I have this day levied upon all of the defendant's interest in and to the following described real estate, situated in Multnomah county, Oregon, to-wit: Part of Sec. 20, Township 1 North, 2 East, containing 160 acres, more or less, and being a portion of the donation land claim belonging to Harry and Jane Swift, and being described on the plat as Notification No. 6165, and will proceed to sell the same to the highest bidder, in front of the new court house door in Multnomah county, on Saturday the 25th day of August, A. D. 1866, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 P. M., or so much thereof as will satisfy the plaintiff's demand, amounting to the sum of one hundred and thirty-four 40-100 dollars ($134 40) together with interest, costs, etc.

JACOB STITZEL,
Sheriff Multnomah Co., Oregon.

Portland, Feb. 25, 1866. td

Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the county of Multnomah, to me directed, in favor of Julia Friedman and against Herman Friedman, amounting to one hundred dollars and costs, I have this 24th day of July, 1866, levied on, and on Friday, the 24th day of August, 1866, at the hour of 10 o'clock, A. M., in front of the Court House door, in the city of Portland, in Multnomah county, State of Oregon, at Public Auction, to the highest bidder therefor, will sell that building situate on Lot No. 2, in Block No. 10, in the city of Portland, in Multnomah county, State of Oregon, known as Friedman's Butcher Shop.

JACOB STITZEL,
Sheriff of Multnomah county, Oregon.
By F. M. ARNOLD, Deputy.

Portland, July 24, 1866. td

Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of an execution to me directed issued out of the Circuit Court of Clackamas County, State of Oregon, wherein A. M. Starr is plaintiff and J. S. Dickenson, Martha Dickenson and A. Hamilton are defendants, amounting to ($2,384 16-100) twenty-five hundred and eighty-four and 16-100 dollars, and interest at the rate of 8 per cent. per month from the 7th day of October, 1865, and the further sum of ($75) seventy-six dollars, costs and accruing costs, &c., I have this day levied on all the defendants interests in and to the following described property, to wit: Those certain pieces or parcels of land lying and being in the county of Multnomah, in the State of Oregon, the west half of the south-west quarter of section 33, and the east half of the south-east quarter of section 32, in township 1 east and 1 south, containing 160 acres, together with all tenements and appurtenances thereunto belonging, known as a portion of the land claim of J. S. Dickenson, also, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8, in block No. 250, and lots 3, 4, 5 and 6, in block No. 253, in the city of Portland, in Multnomah county, Oregon, and will expose the same for sale in front of the Court House door, in Multnomah county, at public auction, to the highest bidder, on Tuesday the 28th day of August, 1866, between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., and will sell so much of said property as will be sufficient to satisfy the above execution and costs.

JACOB STITZEL,
Sheriff Multnomah Co., Ogn.

Portland, July 30, 1866. td

County Assessor's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that on the last Monday in August, towit, 27th, the Assessor will attend at the office of the County Clerk of Multnomah County, Oregon, for three days, and with the assistance of the County Clerk will publicly examine the assessment rolls and correct all errors in valuation, description or qualities of lands, lots or other property. All persons interested, or who know they have property liable to be taxed, in Multnomah County are requested to be present as no corrections or alterations will be made in the rolls after that date. JOHN DOLAN, Assessor.

July 31st, 1866. d&w4w

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